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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

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INFO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EAIR, EFIN SU US

SUBJ: FURTHER BOEING SALE HERE

1. BOEING SALES VP C.F. WILDE AND DIRECTOR MIDDLE EAST SALES W.J. KANE, WHO HERE BRIEFLY IN CONNECTION RECENTLY CONCLUDED SALE TWO BOEING 737S (THIS IS \$17 MILLION DEAL, DOWN PAYMENT ON WHICH HAS ALREADY BEEN MADE), TOLD AMBASSADOR LATE NOV 28 THAT SUDANESE ALREADY INTERESTED IN TWO ADDITIONAL 737S FOR DELIVERY IN 1976. TRANSPORT MINISTER ABBADI HAD DISCUSSED SALE WITH BOEING REPS EARLIER IN DAY AND HAD ASKED WHETHER EXIM ASSISTANCE MIGHT BE AVAILABLE. WILDE OPINED ABBADI MORE INTERESTED IN "TESTING" USG INTENTIONS THAN IN LOAN ITSELF, SINCE IT LIKELY FUNDS COULD BE FOUND FROM SAME CONSORTIUM ARAB BANKS THATUS FINANCED CURRENT TWO-PLANE SALE.

2. AMBASSADOR TOLD BOEING REPS THAT, UNDER CURRENT POLICY, EXIM IS NOT REPEAT NOT IN POSITION EXTEND ADDITIONAL LOAN ASSISTANCE TO SUDAN. WHILE DISAPPOINTED, BOEING REPS SAID THEY UNDERSTOOD. THEY WOULD PASS MESSAGE BACK TO ABBADI WHO MIGHT WISH DISCUSS MATTER DIRECTLY WITH AMBASSADOR.

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3. COMMENT: BELIEVE WE MAY EXPECT SIMILAR TRIAL  
BALLOONS IN FUTURE AS SUDANESE SEEK PROBE PRECISELY WHAT  
WILL BE NEW USG ATTITUDE ON VARIETY ASSISTANCE ITEMS OF  
INTEREST GOS. AMBASSADOR HAS, OF COURSE,  
MADE OUR POSITION CLEAR TO SENIOR GOS OFFICIALS, BUT HARD  
PRESSED GOS IS CLASSIC EXAMPLE THAT  
"HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL IN HUMAN BREAST".  
BREWER

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